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In re application of: Adrian NANIA  
 Serial No.: 10/663,017  
 Filed: September 15, 2003  
 For: DOUBLE-PIVOT HINGE FOR MOTOR VEHICLE DOOR

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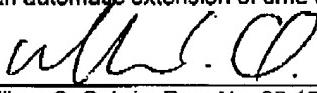
Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action (12 pgs, total fax pages with this cover 13) in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
- Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
- No fee for additional claims is required.
- A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY		
FOR:	REMAINING	HIGHEST	AMENDMENT PAID FOR	RATE	FEES	OR	RATE	FEES
	AFTER	PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT					
TOTAL CLAIMS	45	Minus 20	=	25			x \$ 18	\$450.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	Minus 3	=	1			x \$ 84	\$86.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$140	\$		+ \$280	\$
				TOTAL:	\$	OR	TOTAL:	\$536.00

- \* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Cal. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- \*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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- Also transmitted herewith are:
  - Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (in duplicate)
  - Other:
- Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 is/are attached to cover:
  - Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
  - Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
  - Other:
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
  - Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
  - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
  - Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

In response to the non-final office action dated May 19, 2004 received in the above identified application, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the patent application based on the following amendments and remarks: